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ACRONYMS

BZ Buffer Zone

CRA Comprehensive Risk Assessment

DOE U.S. Department of Energy

ER Environmental Restoration

IA Industrial Area

Industrial Area and Buffer Zone Sampling and Analysis

IABZSAP Plan

K-H Kaiser-Hill Company, L.L.C.

PMJM Preble's meadow jumping mouse

RFETS Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site

SAP Sampling and Analysis Plan

SVOC semivolatile organic compound

USFWS U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service

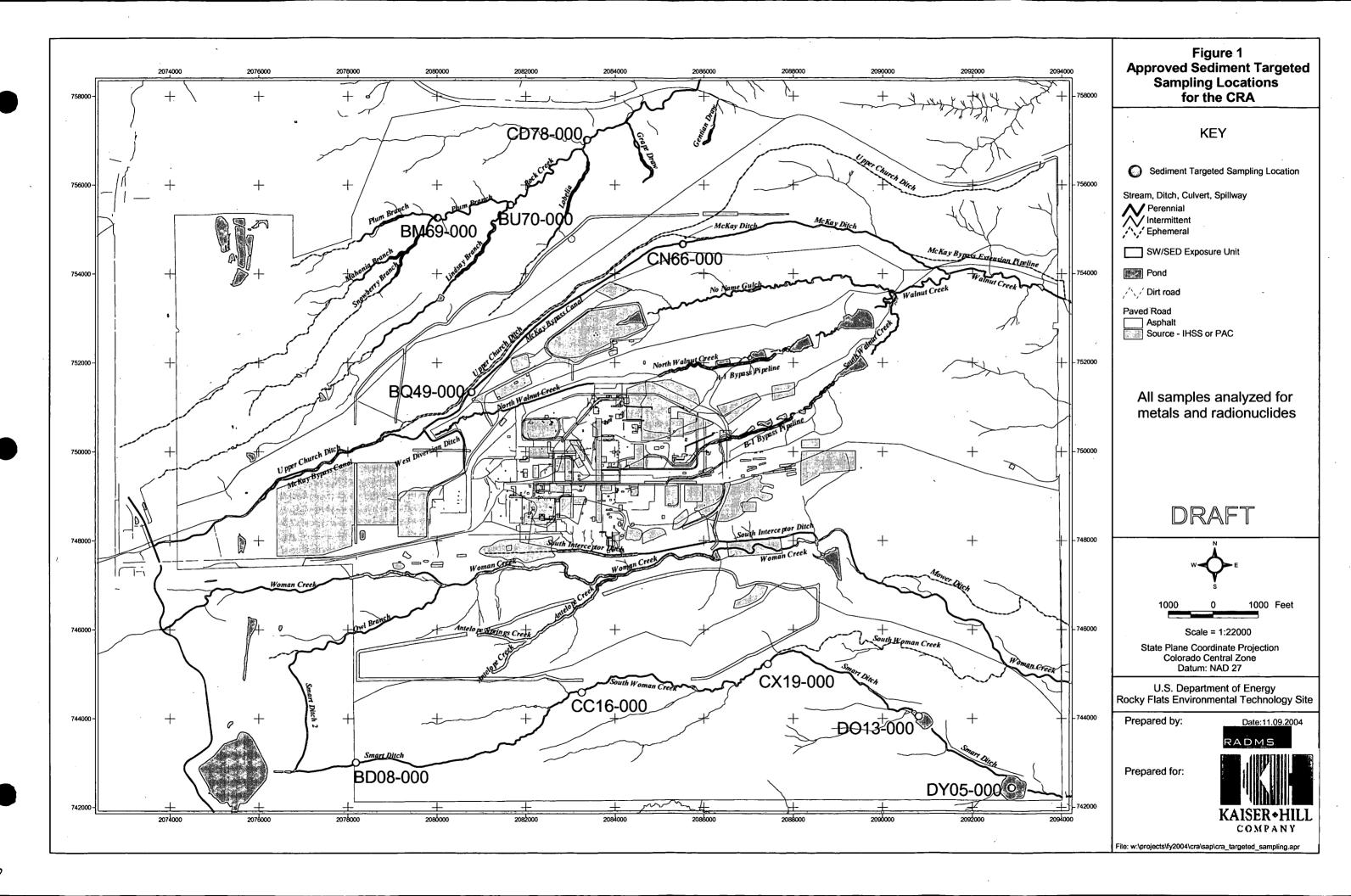
1.0 INTRODUCTION

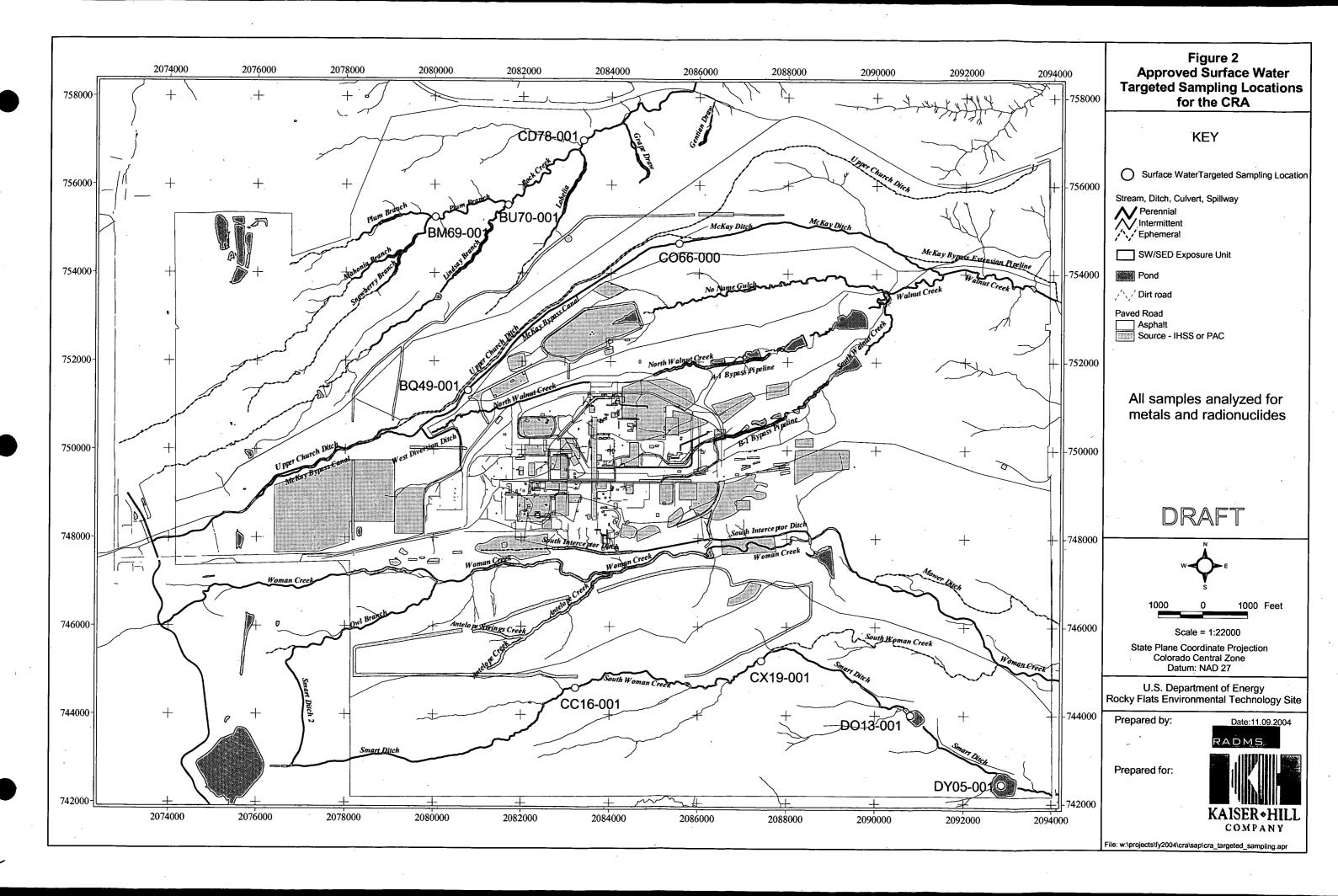
Following accelerated actions at the Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site (RFETS), the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) will perform a Draft Comprehensive Risk Assessment (CRA) to assess human health and ecological risks posed by remaining metals, chemicals, and radionuclides. To support completion of the CRA, the Risk Assessment Work Group (DOE, Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment, U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, DOE, U.S Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS), Kaiser-Hill Company, L.L.C. [K-H] and stakeholders) conducted a data adequacy review to identify areas of RFETS that may need additional sampling. As a result of the first phase of the review, DOE performed additional surface soil sampling to ensure that radionuclides and metals data were adequate to evaluate risk throughout the Site, especially in areas that have not been intensively sampled in relation to potential accelerated actions (DOE 2004a). Phase 2 of the review addressed sediments and surface water in streams and ponds as well as surface soil areas that might require additional target sampling. Phase 2 will be carried out in two parts. This sampling addendum represents proposed sampling for Part 1. Part 2 sampling scope is still under discussion with the regulatory agencies and will be represented by an additional sampling addendum following completion of those discussions.

2.0 SAMPLING

Sediment and surface water samples will be collected in stream channels and ponds as shown on Figures 1 and 2 respectively. Sediment sampling locations are approximate. Actual locations will be in the vicinity of the planned locations where sediment appears to be deepest. Surface water will be sampled at each sediment sampling location except for Smart Ditch (Figure 1; location BD08-000) that already has sufficient surface water data.

Sampling specifications are listed in Table 1. Sediment samples will be analyzed for radionuclides by alpha spectroscopy, metals by EPA method 6010, and semivolatile organic compounds (SVOCs) by EPA method 8270. Surface water will be analyzed for radionuclides by alpha spectroscopy and metals by EPA method 600. In the stream channels, a hand scoop will be used to sample the top 6 inches of the sediment. The sampling technician will collect the sample while standing at the edge of the stream. In the ponds, sampling personnel will use a small aluminum boat from which they will obtain sediment samples using a hand-operated coring tool. The entire sediment layer will be cored. The core will be analyzed for radionuclides and metals in the top 6 inches and in 2-foot intervals after that. Sampling locations will be surveyed, marked, and recorded in accordance with the Industrial Area (IA) and Buffer Zone (BZ) Sampling and Analysis Plan (IABZSAP) (DOE 2004b).





3.0 REFERENCES

DOE, 2004a, Final Comprehensive Work Plan and Methodology, September

DOE, 2004b, Industrial Area and Buffer Zone Sampling and Analysis Plan, Rocky Flats Environmental Technology Site, Golden, Colorado, May.

Table 1
Approved Sediment and Surface Waster Sampling Specifications

Location/Media	Location Code	Easting	Northing	Depth Interval (feet)	Analyte	Analytical Method
Sediment				•		
Plum Branch, Rock Creek	BM69-000	2080011.853	755257.272	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals SVOCs	Alpha Spec 6010 8270
Plum Branch, Rock Creek	BU70-000	2081649.746	755546.312	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals SVOCs	Alpha Spec 6010 8270
Rock Creek	CD78-000	2083371.942	757003.555	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals SVOCs	Alpha Spec 6010 8270
McKay Bypass Canal	BQ49-000	2080770.583	751331.147	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010
McKay Bypass Canal	CN66-000	2085527.698	754667.149	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010
Smart Ditch	. BD08-000	2078176.333	743002.218	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010
South Woman Creek	CC16-000	2083255.867	744585.951	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010
South Woman Creek	CX19-000	2087427.651	745223.307	0-0.5	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010
Pond D-1	DO13-000	2090807.569	744045.164	0.0 - to the depth of sediment	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010
Pond D-2	DY05-000	2092874.147	742442.117	0.0 - to the depth of sediment	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 6010



Location/Media	Location Code	Easting	Northing	Depth Interval (feet)	Analyte	Analytical Method
Surface Water						
Plum Branch, Rock Creek	BM69-001	2080014.020	755266.380	, NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
Plum Branch , Rock Creek	BU70-001	2081667.020	755545.084	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
Rock Creek	CD78-001	2083368.072	757005.874	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
McKay Bypass Canal	CO66-000	2085540.037	754680.142	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
McKay Bypass Canal	BQ49-001	2080773.246	751335.700	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
South Woman Creek	CC16-001	2083225.750	744605.982	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
South Woman Creek	CX19-001	2087432.588	745229.218	ŅA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
Pond D-1	DO13-001	2090798.057	743998.328	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600
Pond D-2	DY05-001	2092854.734	742440.240	NA	Radionuclides Metals	Alpha Spec 600